30 July 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Conversation with Lloyd Cutler, 28 July 1980 (U)

1. At 1525 on 28 July 1980, I called on Lloyd Cutler. I responded to a note he had given me at the Cabinet Meeting in the morning. This note said that the <u>San Francisco Examiner</u> had published a report that either the CIA or the NSC had debriefed Billy Carter upon his return from Libya in late 1978. I told Lloyd I had checked this throughout the Agency and that there was no such contact to the best of my knowledge. (U)

2. In mid-afternoon the DDCI, Herb Hetu, Fred Hitz, John McMahon and I had a debate on how to handle the Washington Star's FOIA request for material on Billy Carter. We have a package assembled already for the SSCI. We agreed to expedite the processing of this under FOIA and send the report about ten working days after the receipt of the Star's request informing them that we have reviewed the materials and none can be released but that all of the materials have been given to the SSCI. (C)

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